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This is in response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures ("Notice to Comply") dated April 22, 2003 in the above-identified application.

Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendments.